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**SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

This paper is filed supplemental to the amendment filed on September 17, 2002 in the above-referenced reissue application. This supplemental amendment is being filed to place claims 19 and 25 in proper form. In particular, the term "said" has been removed from each of claims 19 and 25.

Enclosed with this paper is a Certificate of Facsimile. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and declaration of an interference between the instant application and U.S. Patent No. 6,206,652.

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